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Attention: Abhijit Bagde

RE: MTC TIP Revision 2011-25 – Amendment

Dear Mr. Aljabiry:

Please be advised that MTC recently made several changes to the 2011 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). TIP Amendment 2011-25 revises 88 projects with a net increase in funding of \$13.5 million. Among other changes, the revision:

- Archives 14 projects from the TIP as they have been completed;
- Deletes eight projects from the TIP because the funding has been redirected to other projects;
- Amends four new CMAQ funded Transit Performance Initiative projects into the TIP (AC Transit: Line 51 Corridor using \$10.5 million; SFMTA: Mission Mobility Maximization using \$7 million; SFMTA: N-Judah Mobility Maximization using \$3.8 million; and VTA: Light Rail Transit Signal Priority Improvement using \$1.6 million;) and updates the funding plan of the VTA: Stevens Creek Bus Rapid Transit project to add \$712,888 in CMAQ funds from the Transit Performance Initiative Program;
- Amends in five new transit capital maintenance projects using FTA 5307 funds;
- Amends three new grouped listing into the TIP (GL: JARC FY10-FY12 Small UA & Rural; GL: JARC FY11-FY12 Large UA; and GL: New Freedom FY10-FY12 Small & Rural) totaling \$15.2 million;
- Amends 12 new exempt projects funded with STIP funds based on the 2012 STIP;
- Amends in two new exempt projects in San Francisco using \$1.4 million in Value Pricing Program Project (VPPP) funds (Linked Priced Electric Bikesharing) and San Francisco Value Pricing and Regulation Study);
- Amends in the San Anselmo Center Blvd Bridge Replacement project funded with \$5.1 million in Highway Bridge Program funds;

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- Amends in the Caltrain Positive Train Control project funded with \$6.7 million in Proposition 1B funds and \$20.8 million in Sales Tax measure and Other Local funds;
- Updates the funding plan of the Alameda County Safe Routes to School project to transfer \$200,000 in STP funds and \$420,000 in CMAQ funds to the new ACE: Preventive Maintenance project and adds a new Alameda County SR2S- Local project funded with \$1.2 million in Sales Tax funds;
- Updates the funding plans and scope for four National Park Service projects to show full project funding and to expand the projects to all National Park Service areas;
- Updates the funding plan of I-280/Route 1 Interchange Safety Improvements project to reduce scope and cost by \$63.8 million; and
- Updates the funding plan of the Hayward Shop and Yard Expansion project to add in \$75 million in Sales Tax Measure funds and remove \$37.9 million in Other Local funds.

The modifications made pursuant to this revision do not require a new regional emissions analysis because the projects were found to conform as a part of a previous analysis, pursuant to the transportation conformity provisions found in 40 CFR Part 93 section 122(g). MTC's 2011 TIP, including Revision No. 2011-25, was developed through a continuing, cooperative, comprehensive transportation planning process in accordance with 23 U.S.C. §134 and 49 U.S.C. Chapter 53 and MTC's Public Participation Plan.

TIP financial constraint documentation submitted with this revision shows that MTC's TIP is financially constrained as required by the federal surface transportation programs authorizing legislation and statewide and metropolitan planning and programming regulations. MTC's 2011 TIP, as revised with TIP Revision No. 2011-25, remains in conformity with the applicable State Implementation Plan (SIP) for air quality and the revision does not interfere with the timely implementation of the Transportation Control Measures contained in the State Implementation Plan (SIP).

The revised TIP entries and the updated fiscal constraint documentation have been emailed to your staff and have been posted at MTC's TIP website at: http://www.mtc.ca.gov/funding/tip/. If you have any questions regarding this revision, please contact Sri Srinivasan of my staff at (510) 817-5793.

Sincerely,

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Attachments:

- 1. Revision Packet for TIP Revision 2011-25
- 2. MTC Resolution No. 3975, Revised

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